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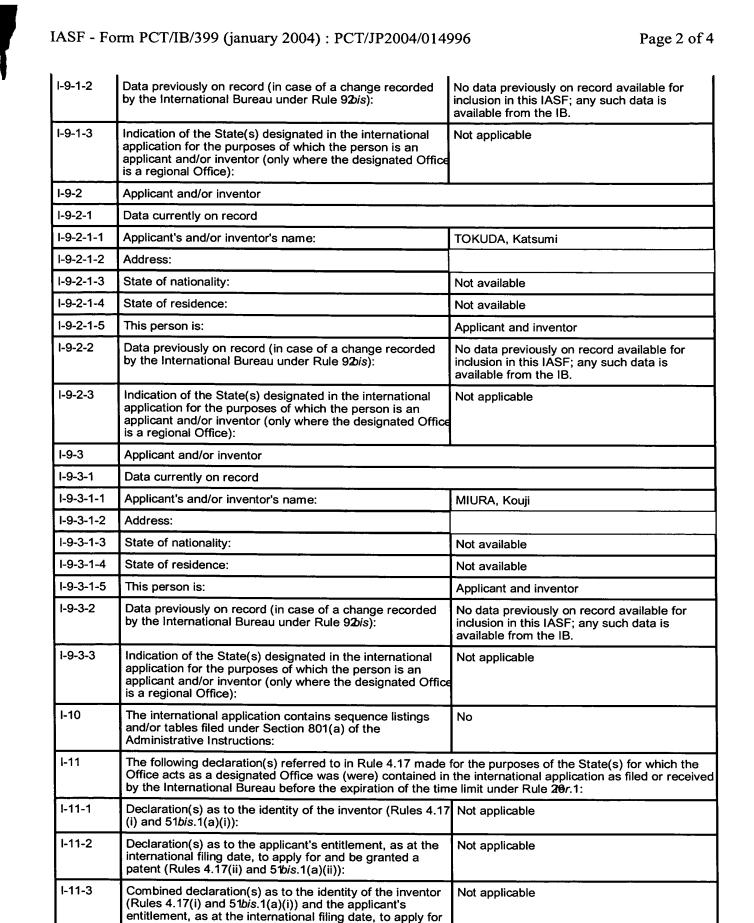
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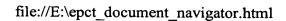
## From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

To:

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Commissioner for Patents, P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313 -1450 ETATS-UNIS D'AMERIQUE

I-1	International application number:	PCT/JP2004/014996
I-2	International filing date:	05 October 2004 (05.10.2004)
I-3	Earliest priority date:	11 November 2003 (11.11.2003)
I-4	Title of the invention:	METHOD FOR JUDGING USE PERMISSION OF INFORMATION AND CONTENT DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM USING THE METHOD
I-5	International Patent Classification:	<sup>7</sup> G06F 1/00
I-6	Language of filing:	English
l-7	The State for which the Office acts as a designated Office has been designated in the international application:	Yes
I-7-1	Indication of the State(s) designated in the international application in respect of which the Office acts as a designated Office (only where the designated Office is a regional Office):	Not applicable
I-7-2	The international application has been considered withdrawn in a declaration made by the receiving Office on (date):	Not applicable
I-7-3	The international application or the designation of the State for which the Office acts as a designated Office has been withdrawn by the applicant (date on which withdrawal became effective):	Not applicable
I-7-4	Kind of protection or treatment:	Patent
I-7-4-1	Identification of parent application or parent grant:	Not applicable
1-8	Date of receipt of record copy by the International Bureau:	21 October 2004 (21.10.2004)
I-9	Applicant(s) and/or inventor(s) for the State(s) for which the Office acts as a designated Office	
I-9-1	Applicant and/or inventor	
I-9-1-1	Data currently on record	
I-9-1-1-1	Applicant's and/or inventor's name:	NIWANO, Satoshi
I-9-1-1-2	Address:	
I-9-1-1-3	State of nationality:	Not available
l-9-1-1-4	State of residence:	Not available
I-9-1-1-5	This person is:	Applicant and inventor





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and be granted a patent (Rules 4.17(ii) and 51bis.1(a)(ii)):

Declaration(s) as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the

international filing date, to claim the priority of the earlier

application (Rules 4.17(iii) and 51bis.1(a)(iii)):

Not applicable



I-11-5	Declaration(s) of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America) (Rules 4.17 (iv) and 51bis.1(a)(iv)):	Not applicable
I-11-6	Declaration(s) as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty (Rules 4.17(v) and 51bis.1(a) (v)):	Not applicable
II - PRIOR	ITY CLAIM(S)	
11-1	Number of earlier application:	2003-380849
II-1-1	Filing date of earlier application:	11 November 2003 (11.11.2003)
II-1-2	Country in which, or regional Office or receiving Office with which earlier application was filed (where the earlier application is an ARIPO application, indication of the country party to the Paris Convention or Member of the World Trade Organization for which that earlier application was filed):	
II-1-3	Priority document received at the International Bureau on:	18 November 2004 (18.11.2004)
II-1-4	Priority document submitted or transmitted in compliance with Rule 17.1(a) or (b) (only where priority document was received at the International Bureau):	Yes
II-1-5	Applicant has requested the receiving Office to prepare and transmit the priority document in compliance with Rule 17.1(b) (only where no priority document was received at the International Bureau):	Not applicable
II-1-6	Priority claim withdrawn by a notice from the applicant (date on which withdrawal became effective; if the notice o withdrawal was received by the International Bureau after completion of technical preparations for international publication, such withdrawal will not have been reflected in the pamphlet) (Rule 90bis.3):	
II-1-7	Declaration by the receiving Office or the International Bureau that priority claim is considered, for the purposes of the procedure under the Treaty, not to have been made (date of declaration) (Rule 26bis.2(b)):	Not applicable
III - INTER	NATIONAL SEARCH REPORT	
III-1	International Searching Authority carrying out the international search:	ISA/EP
III-2	International search report or declaration under Article 17 (2)(a) received by the International Bureau:	Yes
III-3	Corrected version(s) of the international search report (if any) received by the International Bureau:	Not applicable
IV - REFE	RENCE TO DEPOSITED BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL	Not applicable
V - INTER	NATIONAL PUBLICATION	
V-1	International publication number:	WO 2005/045651 (A1)
V-2	International publication date:	19 May 2005 (19.05.2005)
V-3	Language of publication:	English
V-4	Number of figure of drawing published together with the abstract:	9+T
V-5	Republication(s) (republication date(s) and reason(s)):	01 September 2005 (01.09.2005) (A1) Later publication of amended claims under Article 19
VI - INTE	RNATIONAL PRELIMINARY REPORT ON PATENTABILITY	(CHAPTER I)
VI-1	International preliminary report on patentability (Chapter I) issued by the International Bureau on:	Not applicable

Corrected version(s) of the international preliminary report on patentabilty (Chapter I) (if any) issued by the International Bureau on:	Information not available for inclusion in this IASF
RNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION	
A demand electing the State(s) for which the Office acts as an elected Office has been received by the International Preliminary Examining Authority (where the elected Office is a regional Office, indication of the State(s) elected in respect of which the Office acts as an elected Office):	Yes 30 April 2005 (30.04.2005)
The election was made before/after the expiration of 19 months from the priority date:	Before
The election or the demand containing the election of the State(s) for which the Office acts as an elected Office has been considered not to have been made or submitted in a declaration made by (the International Bureau/the competent International Preliminary Examining Authority) on (date):	Not applicable
The election or the demand containing the election of the State(s) for which the Office acts as an elected Office has been withdrawn by the applicant (date on which withdrawal became effective being the date of receipt of the notice of withdrawal by the International Bureau) (Rule 90is.4):	Not applicable
International Preliminary Examining Authority carrying out international preliminary examination:	IPEA/EP
International preliminary examination report received by the International Bureau:	No
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